

Monday, November 1, 1999

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S13586–S13617*

**Measures Introduced:** Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1836–1839, and S. Res. 212–213. Page S13605

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. 623, to amend Public Law 89–108 to increase authorization levels for State and Indian tribal, municipal, rural, and industrial water supplies, to meet current and future water quantity and quality needs of the Red River Valley, to deauthorize certain project features and irrigation service areas, to enhance natural resources and fish and wildlife habitat, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–203)

S. 1052, to implement further the Act (Public Law 94–241) approving the Covenant to Establish a Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in Political Union with the United States of America, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 106–204) Page S13605

**Measures Passed:**

**Senate Employees Representation:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 213, to authorize testimony, document production, and representation of employees in the Senate in *Bonnie Mendelson v. Delaware River and Bay Authority*. Pages S13616–17

**African Growth and Opportunity Act:** Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 434, to authorize a new trade and investment policy for sub-Saharan Africa, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: Pages S13592–97

Pending:

Lott (for Roth/Moynihan) Amendment No. 2325, in the nature of a substitute. Page S13592

Lott Amendment No. 2332 (to Amendment No. 2325), of a perfecting nature. Page S13592

Lott Amendment No. 2333 (to Amendment No. 2332), of a perfecting nature. Page S13592

Lott motion to commit with instructions (to Amendment No. 2333), of a perfecting nature. Page S13592

Lott Amendment No. 2334 (to the instructions of the motion to commit), of a perfecting nature.

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Withdrawn:

Lott (for Ashcroft) Amendment No. 2340 (to Amendment No. 2334), to establish a Chief Agricultural Negotiator in the Office of the United States Trade Representative. Page S13592

**District of Columbia/Labor/HHS/Education Appropriations Conference Report—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the conference report on H.R. 3064, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, on Tuesday, November 2, 1999. Page S13617

A further unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the allocation of time with respect to the time controlled by the Democratic Leader on the conference report. Page S13617

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 12 noon, and adjourned at 5:33 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, November 2, 1999. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S13617.)

### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.